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TAGS: OVIP, SWEL, SA (GEZAIRY, HUSSEIN A.)

SUBJECT: VISIT OF SAUDI ARABIAN MINISTER OF HEALTH

REF: (A) STATE 142791; (B) RIYADH 0158; (C) STATE 137608

1. HOSPITAL AFFILIATES INC., WITH ARAB-AMERICAN CHAMBER OF  
COMMERCE, HAVE OFFERED TO ACT AS HOSTS IN HOUSTON AND WILL  
BOTH PROGRAM MINISTER GEZAIRY AND SPONSOR HOSPITALITY.  
PLEASE INFORM RE MINISTER'S SURGICAL SPECIALTY SO VIEWING  
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OF AN OPERATION CAN BE ARRANGED.

2. HEW WISHES KNOW WHAT MINISTER'S INTERESTS ARE AT  
NATIONAL EYE INSTITUTE-NIH SO APPROPRIATE APPOINTMENTS  
CAN BE MADE.

3. PLEASE ADVISE WHETHER MINISTER WOULD BE WILLING TO

GRANT INTERVIEWS TO PRESS, INCLUDING MEDICAL PRESS.

4. PLEASE ADVISE RE ETA OF MINISTER AND AIDES ASAP.  
RESERVATIONS FOR WASHINGTON STAY MADE AT WATERGATE HOTEL.

5. PER PARA 5 REFTTEL (B), FYI:

A. U.S. COMPANIES MENTIONED IN REFTTEL HAVE OFFERED TO  
COVER HOTEL AND REPRESENTATIONAL EXPENSES. THEREFORE WE  
HOPE NO MODIFICATIONS RE THESE COMPANIES WILL OCCUR, AS  
USG FINANCES ARE TIGHT.

B. HOSPITAL CORPORATION OF AMERICA TRYING TO CHANGE  
MINISTER'S MIND TO INCLUDE IT ON ITINERARY. IF SUCCESS-  
FUL, THIS WILL CAUSE SCHEDULING DIFFICULTIES.

6. RE PARA 3 REFTTEL (A) REQUEST EMBASSY ADVISE FISCAL  
INFO AND CHARGE DATE. VANCE

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